

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF)
DELMARVA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY FOR)
AN INCREASE IN NATURAL GAS BASE RATES) PSC DOCKET NO. 17-0978
(FILED AUGUST 17, 2017))

NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT SESSIONS

TO: ALL NATURAL GAS CUSTOMERS OF DELMARVA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY

A Hearing Examiner appointed by the Delaware Public Service Commission (the "Commission") will conduct public comment sessions concerning the above-captioned case (as further explained below) at the following times and locations:

DATE:	TIME:	LOCATION:
Monday	8:00 pm	Gilliam Building, Multipurpose Room
October 23, 2017		77 Reads Way, New Castle DE 19720

On August 17, 2017, Delmarva Power & Light Company ("Delmarva" or the "Company") filed an application with the Commission seeking approval for an increase in its natural gas base rates.

In its application, Delmarva seeks an increase in annual operating revenues of \$12,866,033, or 8.8% over present existing rates.

	Delivery Charges - Full Proposed Increase		Delivery Charges - Interim Proposed Increase	
	Amount (\$)	%	Amount (\$)	%
Residential	427,933	10.16	1,596,451	1.74
Residential Space Heating	8,356,256	9.55	Included in residential	
GG/GVFT	2,657,219	6.67	645,778	1.62
Gas Lighting	111	6.12	26	1.45
MVG/MVFT	509,028	8.95	114,162	2.01
LVG/LVFT	826,346	14.60	128,400	2.27
LVG-QFCP	89,140	2.27	15,183	0.39

Total Firm	12,866,033	8.76	2,500,000	1.70
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On August 22, 2017, in Order No. 9109, the Commission, pursuant to 26 Del. C. §306(a)(1), the Commission suspended the effectiveness of the proposed new rates pending further investigation, public comment sessions, and public evidentiary hearings, which will be held after further public notice. Pursuant to 26 Del. C. §306(c), the Commission also authorized Delmarva to place a portion of the proposed increases into effect subject to refund, on or after November 1, 2017.

The Commission conducts public comment sessions to receive statements from Delmarva's customers and members of the public concerning the services being provided, the proposed rates, and other matters that are the subject of this rate case. Anyone who plans to attend a public comment session is advised to consult the Commission's website on the day of the respective session for cancellation or changes to the time, place or date of the event. People who wish to comment on the Company's service quality or would like to share their experiences regarding the Company's services, but who are unable to attend one of the public comment sessions, may file written comments with the Commission ***no later than December 1, 2017.***

Please file such written comments by visiting the Commission's file management system (called "DelaFile") located at <https://delafile.delaware.gov> and by searching for Docket No. 17-0978. If you are unable to file written comments using DelaFile, you may mail your written comments to Malika Davis, Staff Analyst, Delaware Public Service Commission, 861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Cannon Building,

Suite 100, Dover, Delaware 19904. Comments may also be sent electronically to Ms. Davis at psc@state.de.us, Attn: Docket No. 17-0978. Again, all written comments must be filed or received by December 1, 2017.

You may review Delmarva's application and supporting documents by going to DelaFile (<https://delafile.delaware.gov>), the Commission's docketing and file management system, and by searching for Docket No. 17-0978. If you would like to review documents at the Commission's offices, please contact Donna Nickerson at (302) 736-7500 or by sending an email addressed to donna.nickerson@state.de.us. You may also review copies of Delmarva's application and supporting documents at the office of the Division of the Public Advocate located at 820 North French Street, 4th Floor, Wilmington, Delaware 19801 or 29 South State Street, Dover, Delaware 19901. Please call either (302) 577-5077 or (302) 241-2555 to arrange for a time to review the documents at either of those locations.

If you wish to request copies of documents in this matter, you may submit a Freedom of Information Act Request Form. The link to this form can be found on the Commission's website, <http://depsc.delaware.gov>, or by visiting this web address: <https://delafile.delaware.gov/Complaints/FOIA.aspx>. The Commission will respond to your request in accordance with the Delaware Freedom of Information Act, 29 Del. C. ch. 100.

If you have a disability and wish to participate or to review the materials in this matter, please contact the Commission to discuss any auxiliary aids or services you might need to help you. You may

contact the Commission in person, by writing, by telephone (including text telephone), by Internet e-mail, or other means.

If you have questions about this matter, you may call the Commission at 1-800-282-8574 (toll-free in Delaware) or (302) 736-7500 (voice and text telephone). You may also send questions regarding this matter by Internet e-mail addressed to psc@state.de.us; include "Docket No. 17-0978" in the subject.